A Summary of Important Events.

THERE were 226 new cases of cholera and

183 deaths reported in Italy on the 9th. In the case of the four Milwaukee Anarchists the jury found them guilty of conspiring to burn the court-house and of in-

citing mobs to riot. THE Washington gossip mongers are putting Garland out of the Cabinet again. They say now that ex-Senator McDonald will succeed Garland and not Manning.

THE London Daily News says the closing by Russia of the port of Batoum is a gross breach of faith, and that England ought not to condone or recognize this ac-

A BANQUET, at which a distinguished company were present, was tendered to Rev. Henry Ward Beecher on the 9th, at the Metropolitan Hotel, London, by Mr.

THE two hundred coal-miners employed at Rend's mine, at McDonald, Pa., struck on the 7th for an advance of two cents per ton in the mining rate. The mines are closed.

THE employes of all the blast furnaces In the Pittsburgh district have decided to demand an advance in wages of twenty per cent. The matter will probably be arbitrated.

THE Tammany Society of New York listened to speeches by Senator Vance, Congressman Randall, J. Randolph Tucker and others on the anniversary of Inde-

THE business failures during the seven days ended the 9th, reported by telegraph, numbered for the United States, 159; for Canada, 20; a total of 179, which is above the last few weeks.

LESLEY and Wilson, the defaulting officials of the Chesapeake & Delaware Canal Company, it is believed, have sailed for Brazil from New York on the steamer James Gordon Bennett.

THE President sent in twenty-one more vetoes of House pension bills on the 6th. This makes a record of 109 vetoes by Pres-Ident Cleveland, thus equaling the veto record of all his predecessors.

THE cholera returns in Italy on the 6th, were as follows: Brindisi 11 new cases, 7 deaths; Francvilla and Fontana 82 cases. 23 deaths; Latiano 58 cases, 26 deaths. One case is reported at Venice.

THE total number of persons who emigrated from Germany from January to May, both inclusive, is 33,977. This is a large decrease, as compared with the figures for the corresponding period of 1885.

at Malaga, Spain, on the 7th. The heat in Madrid was so overpowering that the Cortes was compelled to adjourn before reaching a vote on the budget estimates.

CHAIRMAN ALLISON of the Senate committee on appropriations thinks Congress will not adjourn before Monday, July 26, while Speaker Carlisle is of opinion that adjournment can be had on Tuesday, July

THE New York daily Commercial Bulletin of July 7 estimates the loss by fire in June in the United States and Canada at | and the manner of his election. \$9,750,000, an amount fifty per cent. greater than the average loss in June for many

SECRETARY MANNING took a sail on the evening of the 8th in Samuel J. Tilden's steam yacht Viking. The route was from Yonkers, N. Y., up the Hudson, and the Secretary seemed to enjoy the sail very

abeth, N. J., for stealing nearly 2,000 shuttles, has led to the discovery of quantities | heart. of dynamite and arms in the houses of two

THE cholera returns from Italy on the 7th are as follows: Venice, 2 new cases, 1 death: Brindisi, 189 new cases, 71 deaths; Latiano, 70 new cases, 26 deaths; San Vito, 82 new cases, 4 deaths; Fontana, 76 new cases, 34 deaths.

JUDGE GEORGE P. SANGER, late United States district-attorney of Massachusetts, a stout, genial gentleman of some sixtyfive years, was swindled at Boston on the night of the 7th by a confidence man. His experience will cost him \$950.

THE entire hamlet of Romeo, Wis., burned on the 7th, including the saw-mill, planing-mill, 5,000,000 feet of lumber, store, boarding-house and dwellings of Wm. Van Hoosier. Loss, \$150,000; insurance, \$50,000. The woods were on fire.

THE Manufacturers' Record, in its semiannual review of the industrial growth of the South, shows that during the first six months of 1886 the value of the manufacturing and mining enterprises of the South have been increased by about \$63,-

THE New York grand-jury have taken on the charges against Rev. Stephen Merritt and the Undertakers' Union, who are accused by John B. Caden of No. 349 West Eleventh street with having boycotted him so that his business was

PRINCE LUITPOLD, Regent of Bavaria, has written a letter to Emperor William, in which he says he has nothing more at heart than the maintenance and strengthening of the relations uniting the crowns of Prussia and Bavaria for the welfare of the German empire.

WHEAT harvesting is progressing in Pennsylvania. Grain in many localities is much damaged by prostration from storms. Some farmers report twenty-five to fifty per cent. of their crop destroyed. Considerable damage has also been done

in some places by the army worm.

ASSEMBLYMAN FRANK SIPP, of Buffalo N. Y., has been sent to the State Insane asylum. The death of his wife two years ago and the conduct of his son, a lettercarrier, recently arrested for stealing money from letters, are thought to be the causes leading to his mental trouble.

THE cholera returns in Italy for the 8th were: Brindisi, 116 new cases, 40 deaths; Fontana, 49 new cases, 19 deaths; Latiano, post-office at Minneapolis, Minn., on the 45 cases, 21 deaths; San Vito, 27 cases, 4 night of the 8th, and robbed the safe of deaths; Venice, I new case, 2 deaths; Cod- \$20,000 in stamps and a small amount in igore, 7 cew cases, 1 death; and several | cash. cases in the provinces of Bologna, Padua and Vicenza.

ALL the executive departments were represented at the Cabinet meeting on the 8th. One of the questions considered was in regard to the status of the nominations which may remain unacted upon at the close of the session. The Cabinet also had a brief discussion concerning the course of Congress in the matter of pension legislation

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

A CABINET council will be held at London on the 13th to decide what course to pursue in view of the result of the elec-

THE Rock Island railroad has cut passenger rates from Kansas City to St. Paul and Minneapolis to three dollars. Moorish troops have sacked and de-

stroyed the English factories at Cape Juby on the west coast of Africa. THOMAS SEXTON scored the greatest Parnellite victory of the British parliamentary campaign, having defeated Haslet, Conservative, in the Belfast district.

A NEW trial has been refused Maxwell, the St. Louis murderer. The case now goes to the Supreme Court. WM. ENRIGHT was shot and killed by August Scharf at Batavia, N. Y., on the 7th. JACOB ALEXANDER, a lamplighter, was

attacked by two men at Glendale, O., on the 17th, one of whom, Mike Fogarty, he shot and killed. EDWARD HARRIS, a prominent solicitor of London, Ont., has disappeared, leaving

several funds in which he was interested in an entangled condition. J. H. Burns, of Holyoke, Mass., accichild on the 7th by throwing a quilt over it when he entered a dark bed-room for a

A TERRIBLE fire which broke out at Brussels, Belgium, on the 7th, destroyed the greater part of the Brussels University. issued executions on the 9th against the It began while the juries of professors Atlas Iron works, limited, on confessed were examining the candidates for doctorships.

TIMOTHY MEAD and Fritz Maxheimer, the interest of Carnegie. aged respectively ten and fourteen vears. were drowned in the Allegheny river near Kittaning, Pa., on the 7th. Mead was seized with cramps while bathing and Maxheimer jumped in to rescue him.

THE Common Pleas Court of Clinton County, Ohio, has ordered the Cincinnati & Eastern railroad sold within sixty days

for not less than \$670,000. Forest fires were reported raging in Wisconsin and New Hampshire on the 8th. CARDINAL GUIBERT, Archbishop of Paris, is dead.

THE window-glass workers were in convention at Pittsburgh on the 8th. THE number of Tories elected to the British Parliament up to the evening of the 8th equaled the entire number of that party in the last Parliament.

Springfield, O., contributes \$500 to the Irish parliamentary fund. DURING a riot at Cardiff, Wales, on the 8th, the police charged the crowd, wounding over one hundred persons, many of them seriously.

MIGUEL CHACON, the murderer, was hanged at New York on the 9th. REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAM H. COLE, of

THE Postal-Clerks' Brotherhood has issued a formal reply to the Postmaster-General. THE thirteenth National Conference of

Charities and Correction meet at St. Paul, Minn., July 17 to 21. Dr. Robert Taylor, of New York, reports the cure of a case of lock-jaw, the
only cure on record. It was accomplished

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read vetoing the bill authorizing the construction of railroads through the Indian
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NEAR Princeton, Ind., on the 8th, Mrs. A SEVERE shock of earthquake was felt Turpin killed her two children. three and seven years old, and committed suicide. THE Conservatives, in order to have a working majority in the British Parliament independent of the Liberal Unionists, must carry eighty-two of the remain-

> CONSIDERABLE uneasiness exists regarding the situation in the East. England is preparing a note to Russia regarding the closing of the port of Batoum.

> Оню Republican editors held a convention at Columbus, on the 8th, to express their feelings concerning Senator Payne

THE half-breeds in the Stony Mountain penitentiary, who participated in the Northwest rebellion, are to be granted full amnesty by the Canadian Government. THE use of natural gas in manufactures at Pittsburgh, Pa., is said to have thrown

5,000 men out of employment by lessening the need for coal. A PENSIONER named Penland, living at Belleville, Ont., on the 8th shot and THE arrest of four men employed by the killed a woman named Mack, seriously Singer Sewing Machine Company at Eliz- wounded her husband, and committed

suicide by shooting himself through the

THE Senate committee on commerce on the 8th reported adversely on the nomination of Herbert F. Beecher to be collector

at Port Townsend, W. T. THE King of Cambodia's brother, Sworebellions during the past twenty years, brother of the King has been beheaded.

THE New York grand jury found an inagainst Dan Driscoll, the leader of the from the President vetoing the pen-Garrity a couple of weeks ago. Driscoll referred. Reports on several veto mespleaded not guilty in court.

PAPAL ABLEGATE O'BRYEN sailed from two Canadian Archbishops. THE third tragedy within two weeks oc-

Pa., on the night of the 7th, During a quarrel a well-known character named Palmer was shot and instantly killed by a person in the crowd. No arrests.

THE bodies of H. A. Crommelin, secretary of the Dutch Legation at Vienna, and Margrave Pallavacini and their companions, who attempted to make the ascent of the Gross Gloeckner Alp on June 25, have 11th. been found at the foot of Pasterze glacier,

at Gloeckerkaar. SAMUEL ARCHER was hanged according to programme at Shoals, Ind., on the 9th. HERBERT GLADSTONE predicts a new

election within twelve months. THE Senate in executive session on the th, rejected the nomination of Solicitor-General Goode.

TROOPS have been ordered to Rowan County, Kentucky, to aid in enforcing the

TRE Panama Canal Company have decided to issue bonds instead of a lottery

BRAL & Co., the New York cotton brok-

ers who failed a few days ago, have re-SATISFACTORY negotiations regarding the New Hebrides are going on between

France and England. MILTON EVANS, a farm laborer from Southern Missouri, died from hydrophobia

at Kansas City on the 9th. BURGLARS effected an entrance to the

THE closing of the port of Batoum, it is officially stated at St. Petersburg, does not constitute a violation of the Berlin

treaty. ONE HUNDRED negro miners have been out to work in the Danville (Ill.) coal mines, supplanting white men.

A STORMY scene ensued in the Spanish Cortes on the 9th, when a member referred the death a separation of Great Britain to the alleged bourse speculations of the and Ireland. late King Alfonso.

An attempt will be made to tow a raft f 3,500,000 feet of logs from St. Johns, New Brunswick, to New York. THE \$2,000,000 damage suit of the Bank-

against the Western Union is nearing an An insane man fired a revolver in the French Chamber of Deputies on the 9th the bullet passing close to the head of the

president of the chamber. F. M. MARSHALL, of Stark County, Ohio, was hazed in a brutal manner by his fellow-students in Mount Union college at Alliance, O., on the night of the 8th

By a collison between the steam barges Hickox and Milwaukee on Lake Michigan on the 9th, the former sank and one satior was drowned.

THE Lord Lieutenant of Ireland has been petitioned to stay evictions until November, when a bountiful harvest will enable the famers to pay the landlords. FIRE broke out in Scoville's confectionerv and fire-works store in Tonawanda, N. Y., on the 9th. Six buildings were destroved. Loss, \$50,000; partially insured. HENRY MYERS, an aged Baltimore shoemaker, quarreled with his son Henry, Jr., on the 9th, over a small amount of money. dentally smothered his five-months'-old | The son struck his father, and the latter picked up a knife and stabbed his son,

> killing him. The father gave himself up to the police. THOMAS M. CARNEGIE, executor of the Wm. Coleman estate at Pittsburgh, Pa., judgments, aggregating \$15,000. The sheriff has taken charge of the works in

> A REPORT is circulating in London that Cyrus W. Field and Jay Gould have purchased a controlling interest in the stock company which controls the Financiai

## XLIXTH CONGRESS.

The Senate was not in session on the 5th resonlutions and bills, went into committee of the whole on the General De-ficiency Appropriation. bill. Among the amendments adopted was one offered by Mr. Burnes, of Missouri, striking out the entire appropriation for re-adjustments. The commutee rose at 5 p. m., by in considered, all but the payes of the having considered all but ten pages of the bill, and the House adjourned.

In the Senate on the 6th the bill to regulate the pay of army officers who neglect their families was reported. A bill was introduced at the request of the Social Purity Al-liance of the District of Columbia for the protection of women and children. The to secure to freedmen their share of the proceeds of Cherokee lands passed. Amendments to the river and Harbor bill were considered.....In the House the report of the committee on invalid pensions on veto messages was called up, and after some debate consideration was postponed. The General Deficiency bill was then taken up in committee of the whole, and after considerable debate was

reported to the House. In the Senate on the 7th a petition from John A. Kirkpatrick, a pension bill in whose favor was vetoed, was referred to the committee on pensions. Consideration of amendments to the River and Harbor bill was resumed and after several amendments had been acted upon the bill was temporarily laid aside and a message from the President was and Harbor bill was again taken up and deonted until the time for adjournment..... In the House—Twenty-one veto messages, transmitted by the President, were laid before the House. Some of the messages were referred to the committee on invalid pensions without comment, but others caused a lengthy and at times very warm debate before being re-ferred. A number of the messages had not been acted upon when the House adjourned In the Senate on the 8th, after routine business, a number of bills on the private cal ender were disposed of and consideration of the River and Harbor bill was resumed. The Hennepin canal amendment was advocated by Mr. Cultom in a lengthy sneech and also by Mr. Logan. It was opposed by Mr. Vest. Without disposing of the amendment the Senate, after an exceptive searcher adjourned. In the

executive ses-ion, adjourned......In the House a series of resolutions were presented expressing regret at the death of Hon. Wm. H. Cole, and as a mark of respect the House In the Senate on the 9th a report on the vetoed pension bill of the widow of Commo dore Marchand was presented. It recom-

mends the passage of the bill over the veto.

A resolution was introduced calling on the President for information concerning the seizure of tion concerning the seizure of American vessels in foreign ports. Objection was made to the Eads Ship Railway bill, and Mr. Hoar's Election bill, and they went over. An executive session followed, during which a debate area of resulting in the raise. which a debate occured, resulting in the rejec-tion of the nomination of John Goode to be Solicitor-General....In the House the President's veto messages occupied atten-tion, there being a lively fight over the GEORGE WASHINGTON and W. Chase Morton, of Virginia, went over to Washington on the 8th to arrange a duel with each other, but were arrested and afterwards made an amicable settlement.

# LATE NEWS ITEMS.

In the the Senate on the 10th, a report on twenty-three veto messages recommendtha, who had been the instigator of many | ing the passage of all the bills, notwithstanding the President's objections, was has been captured and shot. Another recommitted to the pensions committee. The River and Harbor bill was taken up and discussed until adjournment ...... In dictment for murder in the first degree the House a message was received Whyo gang, who shot and killed Bridget sion bill of D. B. Ross, and it was sages were ordered printed. Mr. Morrison's adverse report on the Randall Tariff Liverpool on the 8th on the steamer Poly- bill was referred to committee of the nesian. In addition to the hat for Cardi- whole. The General Deficiency bill was nal Taschereau, he carries the pallium for taken up and passed. A resolution amending the rules so as to allow the ways and means committee to report curred at the Parker House, in Latrobe, Tuesday and to have the report take precedence over other business was adopted

after a lively debate. Another strike seems imminent in the Pennsylvania coke region. LORD SALISBURY and Lord Hartington

are planning a coalition cabinet. An open switch caused a disastrous rail-

road wreck near Youngstown, O., on the Russia has just received \$250,000 from

Turkey on account of war indemnity. THE funeral of the late Congressman Cole took place at Baltimore on the 11th. Russian torpedo boats, on the way to Odessa, are allowed free passage of the

Dardanelles. CONGRESSMAN SPRINGER, of Illinois, has ourchased a homestead in Washington. THE mother of the late Congressman Cole, of Maryland, died on the 11th, just before the funeral of her son took place. PRINCE ALEXANDER is abused by the Bulgarian press as being responsible for

all that nation's ills. MRS. CLEVELAND is said to have made a good impression by her treatment of callers at her receptions.

It is intimated that Lord Randolph Churchill will give Lord Salisbury a tilt for the English leadership. CHIEF ARTHUR of the Brotherhood of

Locomotive Engineers addressed a union meeting at Kansas City, Mo., on the 11th. 4,210 burial permits issued in St. Louis. closed in a barrel, in attempting to swim which Captain Webb was drowned. MRS. CRAWFORD has been subpossed as

a witness in the Dilke-Crawford scandal case before the Queen's proctor. SECRETARY BAYARD, it is said, has been promised a seat on the Supreme bench

should a vacancy occur during the present administration. EIGHT THOUSAND Orangemen paraded the streets of Glasgow on the 10th, and at a subsequent meeting resolved to resist to

### MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

John Rohan and Patrick Degnan, St. Louis lads, went across the river a few ers & Merchants' Telegraph Company days ago and took a gun along. The result of the day's sport was the death of young Degnan from a gun-shot wound. T. G. Berry, a white man, who lives at Waverly, Lafayette County, has been arrested for forging the name of Mr. Wade Hicklin to a Lafayette County Bank check. A farm-hand near Independence, named Mills, has wedded Miss Maud Long, the girl who last winter became known broughout the country by rescuing two children left in the woods by a madman

from Kansas City. John H. Cary, sheriff of Buchanar County, has been sued for \$120,000 by fifteen leading business men of St. Joseph, for levying upon the stock of I. Weil & Co. in the interest of foreign creditors.

The Internal Revenue Collectors for the St. Louis district for the fiscal year ended June 30, show an aggregate of \$5,635,-409 87, as compared with \$5,011,585 72, an increase of \$624,904 15

The convicts at Jefferson were given a bounteous Fourth of July dinner, and were permitted to enjoy themselves part of the day in the yard free from the ordinary disciplinary restraints. It costs an average of eleven and s

convicts at Jefferson City during the month of June. An unknown man was found in a livery stable in St. Louis a few days ago in a semi-unconscious condition, the effects of

quarter cents a head to take care of the

delirium tremens. George Cornlaw, a brakeman, attempted to commit suicide with laudanum in John Kraye's boarding-house in St. Louis, a few days ago. When found he was in a critical condition.

N. M. Pope, a teamster, was thrown from his wagon a few evenings since by a collision with a cable street car in Kansas City on the curve of the road. He fell under the grip car and was killed, the wheels passing over his neck. This is the first fatal accident since the road was opened. Pope was fifty years of age and leaves a wife and three children.

Charles Jones, of St. Louis, ninety-five years old, died recently at Washington

Oliver Smith, of Grundy County, got caught in his mower and received cuts from which he bled to death.

Edward Hamilton, a young man and & painter by trade, was drowned while seining in Lime creek, over in Clay County, s few days ago. A savage Texas steer broke away in West Kansas City a few days ago and

severely gored a pedestrian named Wm. Christian. After a long chase the police killed the animal. S. B. Roberts, manager of the Pacific Mutual Telegraph Company at Kansas City, has disappeared and his account

The Missouri Fund Commissioners met at Jefferson City a few days since and made preparations to meet payment on State bonds soon falling due. The people of Kansas City seem to fee, confident of the approach of the Chicago

show a shortage of \$2,000.

& Northwestern road within two years entrance to be effected by way of the Belline. The motion in arrest of judgment in the cases of Chyo Chingk and Chyo Goom, the convicted Chinamen in St. Louis, was overruled by Judge Van Wagoner, and they will be sentenced to death according to law. The attorneys have all the term

to prepare their bill of exceptions on which to take the cases to the Supreme Court. The report of the St. Louis mail carrier for the month of June shows that during that month there passed through the postoffice 14,001 registered letters, 1,821,680 mai letters, 352,471 postal cards, 486,105 loca. letters, 339.287 local postal cards and 827,-454 newspapers and circulars, and that the collections were 146,108 letters, 453,988 post-

al cards and 315,938 newspapers and circu-They deal out justice to criminals in Livingston County with the swiftest dispatch. Charles Coplinger and Charles Scarborough, two horse-thieves arrested at noon the other day, were indicted by a special grand jury, pleaded guilty in the Circuit Court and were sentenced to four | Mr. Bliss was somewhere else attending years each in the penitentiary withir

eighteen hours after their arrest. Frank Wesner, a young unmarried man, was drowned while bathing in the river at St. Louis a few nights ago. He had crossed to the other side for the purpose of bathing, and had ventured too far out in the water. Not being able to swim he was drowned before help could reach him. He was twenty-seven years old, a black-

smith by trade. Ada Wilson took a dose of poison in St Louis a few nights ago with suicidal intent. The timely arrival of a physiciar thwarted her intentions. Ada some two months ago tried to kill herself by shoot-

ing in the head with a 22-caliber pistol. Justice Taaffe wedded a couple in St Louis the other day under very peculiar circumstances. Annie Early, a comely little blonde, twenty years old, was the bride, and Thomas O'Hearn, who was handcuffed and in charge of a deputy sheriff until the completion of the ceremony, was the groom. He was then released and the couple departed. The dep-

uty sheriff procured the license. A negro woman and two children, one a small boy, who were driving, met with a serious accident in Lexington a few nights ago. They were approaching a bridge which spans a ravine when the horse took fright and ran away, striking one of the side rails of the bridge with such force as to drive it entirely through its body, killing it instantly and throwing the wagon and its occupants over into the ravine. All were quit; seriously hurt.

The Lafayette County Court has appointed a mine inspector, giving the place to Mr. James H. Gilke, of Higginsville. His appointment is only for a term of six

months. St. Louis has had a case of sunstroke. John P. Combs, aged eighty-seven, shot himself a few days ago in a meadow near the farm-house of his son-in-law, George W. Buchanan, near Independence, with whom he was making his home. He left a letter explaining that old age and his strong aversion to being dependent upon his children for support were the causes of

his thus ending his life. In a drunken quarrel at Kansas City a few days ago, Ed Fitzgibbons, a bartender at the Eldorado House, was fatally stabbed by Andrew Miller, a raflway track hand, death occurring in a few min utes. Miller is in jail.

From January 1 to July 1 there were C. D. GRAHAM passed the whirlpool The following named moneyed men of years to come. rapids of Niagara falls, on the 11th, in- Independence have organized to establish a bank, to be known as the Agricultural Bank: W. A. Cunningham, Horace H. Sheley, Dr. J. D. Wood, L. M. Sea.

> Jr., had been shot and mortally wounded. The young man was working on a ranch near Ft. Worth. No particulars of the shooting men received.

capital stock now subscribed is \$48,000.

Chairman Warner of the Republican State Committee has resigned.

#### PULPIT VS PLATFORM.

Henry Ward Beecher Effectually Silences & Set of Sticklers for the Old "Pepper-Box" Pulpit-The Brooklyn Divine to be En tertained at a Grand Dinner With a Company of Notables-Princely Regrets.

LONDON, July 9 .- The intolerance

shown by the British religious public to

anything in the way of innovation in the matter of church service was strikingly illustrated yesterday at the City Temple, where Mr. Beecher preached his second sermon. Mr. Beecher can not preach in the "pepper-box," as the pulpit is irreverently termed here. It cramped him; so Dr. Parker had for to-day a platform specially built, somewhat after the manner of the one in Plymouth church. This was eved askance by some of the straight-laced British Christians as they passed into the big church, packing it almost to sufand as Mr. Beecher was focation. about beginning his sermon, there were vigorous cries of "Pulpit," It was curious to note the fire that came into Beecher's eye and the determined set of his mouth. There was fight there. It recalled the time when he faced an angry mob in Liverpool twenty-three years ago and beat them down. This was what he said, in tones that had the old-

time ring: "As to the pulpit, I think about that as Daniel Webster thought. He regarded the continuance of religion in this world in spite of pulpits to be one of the signs of its divinity. I suppose pulpits originally were framed after the apocalyptic vision of a candlestick, and minister have been too much like wax candles in the candlesticks, hard and stiff, giving out very little light. No man would ever undertake no plead for the life of a man out of a pulpit; no man would undertake to go before a crowd for their votes and be perched upon the tip-end of a candlestick When a man is in earnest in preaching he might preach from the top of his head to his toe; it is not the voice

alone but the man that preaches." The pulpit shouters subsided abashed and Mr. Beecher went on with a powerful sermon that dealt with the misconception of religion that made it Beecher is to be entertained at dinner at the Metropolitan hotel. Despite the fact that the season is over and the most prominent people are out of town, while those who remain are wrapped up in poldistinguished men to welcome the Brooklyn divine about evenly divided be tween prominent Americans who stopping here and glishmen of world-wide reputation. Minister Phelos is to be present, as is Consul-General Waller, while the American consuls, Russell, of Liverpool; Savage, of Belfast, and the consuls from Dundee. Rirmingham and other points are coming from their stations for the occasion. The Prince of Wales has written expressing regrets that the occurrence of

the great state dinner and ball at Buckingham palace on the same evening will prevent his attendance, but send warm and kindly greetings to Mr. Beecher, and regret that prior engage ments for this ball will prevent their

#### meeting him. WANTS THE EARTH.

The Accounting Officers of the Treasury Fail to Understand the Why and Wherefore of District Attorney Bliss' Excessive Fee Bills in Addition to His Salary-A

Consequent Hitch. WASHINGTON, July 9 .- The accountng officers of the Treasury and the Attorney-General locked horns yesterday over another batch of fees claimed by District Attorney Bliss, of St. Louis. An account of seventy-four days' services in attendance upon court at St. Louis was the occasion of the disagreement. It came over from the Department of Justice approved and marked "special," which is equivalent to an urgent request for immediate action. The auditor had heretofore disallowed some of these accounts for per diem attendance at St. Louis, cause he knew by other accounts that to Government business. So the first step taken was to request Mr. Bliss to make affidavit that he was in actual and necessary attendance upon court at St. Louis during this time. This, of course, Bliss refused to do, and this part of the account, notwithstanding it was approved by the Department of Justice, was suspended. The accounting officers are in a decidedly bad humor over Mr. Bliss. They say he seems to be as solid under Mr. Garland as he was before the change administration. They say he has been favored as no other official has The favors began under the Republican Administration and have continued till the present time. He has been sent all over the country to try cases that belonged to other districts, and for this has been paid enormous fees and expenses. He recently sent in a bill for eighty-three days' services as special attorney in prosecuting cases in New York City and New Orleans. For these services his charge was \$40 per day, or \$3,320. The Attorney-General cut this bill to \$28 per day or \$2,324. It should be borne in mind that this sum is additional to the regular salary of \$6,000 per annum as District-Attorney in the Eastern District of Missouri. It only adds to the disgust of the Democratic accounting officer that Mr. Bliss is fully sustained by the Attorney-General in his claims of these special and regular fees. There is a suggestion in the indorsement of "special" on the account sent over from the Department of Justice yesterday. Mr. Bliss may be closing up his accounts with a view of resigning when the Government has balanced all of his claims, and immediate action may have been asked by Mr. Garland with a view to have the way opened as speedily as possible for the appointment of a successor. If such is the case, the auditor's refusal to allow

will defeat the programme. A Badly Crippled Town. DEMING, N. M., July 8 .- A destructive fire broke out here Monday night which destroyed the principal business houses of the town. How the fire originated is still a mystery. The buildings being principally of wood and the town having inadequate water facilities, the flames spread rapidly, and had almost uninterrupted sway, although the citizens struggled heroically to save their property, and finally succeeded in checking the fire before it reached the residence portion of the town. Deming has a population of about two thousand, and the loss will be likely to cripple its growth for many

HALIFAX, N. S., July 8 .- The Chamber of Commerce vesterday unanimously

## THE POSTAL CLERKS.

They Ask Is a Fair Deal.

The Brotherhood of Railway Postal Clerks Formulate Their Grievances - They Charge the Postmuster-General With Acting in Bad Faith With Them and Otherwise Imposlag Upon Them - Ali

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 9 .- Chier

clerk C. C. Meade, and Secretary Roche

Bobb, of the Grand Lodge of the Brother-

hood of Railway Postal Clerks, have pre-

pared a statement for the public, in

say: "That the postal cierks expected lectual features, jet black hair and lusvery generally on the incoming of the trous eyes. She came of good parentpresent administration to be removed; age and was highly educated in a Boston that in such anticipation some resigned seminary. When nineteen years of age and others got their houses ready to go. she married T. E. Davis, a tinner, now The Postmaster-General by his circular living in Boston. A son was born to the of April 30, 1885, gave them to under- couple, but after two years of married stand expressly that there should be no removals without cause, and none for merely political reasons; that efficient and valuable men would not be disturbed so long as they rendered faithful service; that they accepted this assurance in good faith, and so continue in the service rendering faithful and zealous service; her education to account and opened & that soon, however, their faith was studio on West Madison street, and since shaken by repeated and frequent re- then she has supported herself by paintmovals of good men without cause; that ing and sketching, in which she was said by reason of such removals increased to be highly skilled. Her son died two work was imposed upon them; that | years ago. The death of the boy was an they were required, in addition to their regular and onerous duties, to teach the new men; that these new men were often promoted over them; that in some instances these new men were given leave of absence, and devoted their time to political work without complaint or rebuke, while old clerks were being removed for alleged political work done years before; that they felt they were being imposed upon by having additional duties and work put upon them, and by favoritism shown in many ways to the new appointees; that they had a pride in the efficiency of the service and found that these things tended to destroy that efficiency; that they objected to removals being made upon secret charges unknown to them, to which they had no opportunity of replying or of being heard thereon; that their organization was founded upon these things. Looking thing of gloom. This evening to the good and efficiency of the public service, and to prevent, if possible, its destruction by constant and frequent removals without cause; that under the professions and promises of the Postmaster-General the public would initics, there will be a notable gathering of fer that removals were made upon good and sufficient grounds, thus leaving a stigma upon the persons removed, and unjustly so; that the essence of their protest was the injustice to those removed; that they only asked that the cause of removal should be made known; that while as public servants they recog-

nized their duties to the public and faithfully and zealously performed them -for proof of which they point with pride to the service itself—they felt that as men and citizens they were entitled at least to fair and just consideration by the Postmaster-General; that what they did was not in any spirit of insubordination or obstruction, but, on the announcing that his private secre- contrary, it was in the highest interests tary, Mr. William A. Bascom, of the postal service on behalf of the will attend as his representative. A num- public, and in their own interests as men ber of other men of title and renown also and citizens, wishing the good opinion of the public, and the maintenance of the high efficency of the postal service, that they intended to wait upon the Postmaster-General and submit these things to his consideration, when he hurriedly removed a large number of the clerks without a hearing, which they say he did to prevent his being confronted with his

# record on the subject.

A MEDICAL TRIUMPH. The First Case on Record of a Successful strongholds, and as Judge Cole intends Medical Struggle With Lockjaw-Alcoholic Stimulants Prove That They Have Use in Certain Emergencies. of a case of or lock-jaw, said to be the only instance in which a fatal conclusion to such an attack has been averted. On May I, Miss Effic Masterson, daughter of Mr. Robert Masterson, a retired New York merchant, residentat Bronsville, had the bones of the toe and instep of her right foot crushed. Dr. Taylor dressed the wound, removing the little toe, which could not be saved. Recognizing the extreme probability of

lock-jaw, he put the patient under the influence of morphine. He began by giving her sixty drops of Majendie's solution of the sulphate of morphia (one-quarter of a grain to the drachm) at each dose, three doses a day. This he increased the worst period of her suffering that amount even was exceeded, enough to keep her in a stupefied condition all the time. Twice a day her wound was dressed with balsam of Peru and oakum, and the bandage pressure was carefully regulated and constantly watched to prevent the matter from burrowing. It healed ad- take mirably, showing a healthy tendency from the first.

But eight days after the injury the first symptoms of lock-jaw appeared-severe and increasing pains in the sides of the face, followed by violent twitching in the muscles of the face and limbs. The pain in the sides of the face became so great that it could hardly be allayed, even by the enormous doses of morphine given. In four days after the first symptoms declared themselves, the tetanus was fully established. The girl's jaws were tightly locked together, the muscles of the right leg, arm and side twitched convulsively and the body was bent like a bow, rest ing upon the head and heels. These violent symptoms lasted nine

days. During that time, in addition to the morphine, large quantities of rye whisky, brandy, champagne, sherry, eggnogg, milk-punch and other stimulants were given to her. The loss of a tooth permitted their introduction into the month through a rubber tube. At length the first indication of recovery appeared in the cessation of the twitching of the muscles, and then the opening of the mouth far enough to permit the passing of a knife-blade between the teeth. From that point the progress of recovery was rapid, until now the foot is well and the lock-jaw has disappeared.

#### A Terrific Storm. SCRANTON. Pa., July 8.-The severest wind, hail and rain storm known for years, struck this city from the north-

west at 6 p. m. yesterday. It lasted about fifteen minutes, and was most terrific. It was similar to a Western tornado. Trees were uprooted in various parts of the city. Several houses were unroofed, fences blown down and windows broken. Hail stones as large as wainuts fell in large quantities, and the rain came down torrents. Telephone wires were badly injured. The storm north of the city was still more severe and the damage to crops and property is very great.

# WASHINGTON, July 8 .- At a meeting of

the House committee on judiciary to-day John A. Sea, William Hill, J. D. Gassett adopted a resolution favoring vigorous arguments was made by Representative Jacob Vernon and Colonel L. P. Muir. The protection by the government of the Henley, of California, and Major Red-Canadian fisheries and the enforcement dington, late chief book-keeper in the Henry Knopply, of Sedalia, received a of measures to prevent trespassers from Union Pacific railroad general offices, in telegram from Ft. Worth, Tex., a few gaining further privileges than they now favor of Henley's resolution ordering an nights ago, stating that his son Henry, enjoy until a fair arrangement as to the investigation into the accounts of the fisheries have been made with foreign company on the charge that the company nations. The President in putting the has falsified its accounts, fraudiently is motion said all the wild talk indulged in sued stock, etc. The resolution was reby Senator Frye and other bombastic ferred to a sub-committee consisting of individuals had about died out, and he Messrs. Hammond, of Georgia; Bennett pelieved the difficulty would be settled. of South Carolina and Hepburn of Iowa.

# A SAD END.

The Sequel of the Unhappy Life of Mrs. Nellie E. Davis-Suicide on the Eve of a Marriage She Could Not Legally Consummate and Had Not the Courage to

Break Away From. CHICAGO, July 9 .- Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Nel ie E. Davis dressed herself in white, lay down upon her bed in an upper room of a house on West Erie street and shot herself through the head with a revolver. She expired instantly. Mrs. answer to the Postmaster-General's Davis was twenty-five years of age, petite statement, in which they in substance and attractive, with refined and intellife Mr. and Mrs. Davis quarreled and a breach ensued, which resulted in Mrs. Davis leaving her husband. She kept the child, and removed to Chicago three years ago, living with her mother, Mrs. B. D. Lovejoy, who was then conducting a boarding-house. Mrs. Davis turned affliction which she has felt keenly, and only last Tuesday she spent the day at the side of the boy's grave and returned

very much disheartened. A year ago this month Mrs. Davis, her mother and her uncle removed to Carlin, Nev. She returned from the West three months ago, accompanied by a young man named Carl Howes, who was very much in her company. They both took board with J. D. Lovejov, Mrs. Davis' brother, on Erie street. Last Monday Mr. Lovejoy gave up housekeeping, and Howes, Mrs. Davis and the Lovejoy family packed up preparatory to leaving for Nevada, which they proposed to do to-day, It has been known that Howes and Mrs. Davis were engaged to be married, and it was their intention to have the ceremony performed as soon as they reached their new home in the West. Mrs. Davis had never been divorced from her husband at Boston, nor had any steps been taken to bring about a legal separation, and in this fact lies the probable cause of her suicide. Her engagement with Howes was positive, the date of marriage set, and it is supposed that she brooded over the fact that her marriage without a divorce would be a crime, and lacked the moral courage to break off the match.

## THE ROWAN COUNTY ROW.

Troops Sent to Aid in Enforcing the Law-The Rival Factions Armed and Barricaded in Their Strongholds-The Wounded

Sheriff Improving. LOUISVILLE, Ky. July 10 .- Judge Cole has reported to the Governor, after investigating the condition of affairs at Morehead, Rowan County, that the assistance of troops is necessary to the enforcement of law in his court. The Judge has asked the Governor for sixty men. Of these thirty went from here nuder command of Captain C. McPherson. and thirty from Lexington, under command of Lieutenant Williams. The post will be under command of Major McKee, who will act under direction of Judge Cole. A Gatling gun was taken from Lexington, and the soldiers went thoroughly equipped with all the appurtenances for war or a long camp-out. There is report of no new outbreak in Rowan, but the fighting factions are yet at large, barricaded in their that the warrants now out for the arrest of these parties shall be served he has thought it best that the court should have New York, July 8 .- Dr. Robert a force of troops back of it. From laylor, of this city, reports the cure his survey of the field, he was convinced that the law could not be enforced by the civil authorities unsupported by military, and the troops go to quell the row before there is more bloodshed. Both Sacriff Raincy, who was wounded by the Logans, who were resisting arrest, and young Logan, wounded while resisting arrest, are still alive, with fair prospects that they may both live to do more shooting.

# A BRAVE GIRL.

Her Experience With a Mad Dog on a Public Street-The Pusillanimous Conduct of

the Men of Williamsport, WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., July 9 .- Prof. J. F. Davis has owned a terrier for a long rapidly until it was doubled, and during time which was a great favorite among the children. As the Professor was going out of town Wednesday, he gave the animal to Miss Annie Berndt, a young lady well known in society here, to take care of while he was away. In the afternoon Miss Berndt started down the street with the dog to take it to her home. As she reached Academy street, the dog commenced to growl and fell over on the sidewalk in a fit. In a few minutes the dog was in terrible agony and was frothing at the mouth. Miss Berndt hardly knew what to do. She grasped the dog by the collar and held him down. After the first convulsions were over the dog tried to bite Miss Berndt, but she held him by the aid of her parasol and prevented the froth from getting on her, although one of the sleeves of her dress was torn by the animal's claws. Several persons were passing at the time, but when they saw that the dog was mad they hurried out of the way and left the young woman in her perilous position, advising her to let the dog go and seek a place of safety. While the dog was in its third convulsion one of the street cars came along. None of the men were brave enough to help Miss Berndt, although she asked them to go for some one to shoot the dog. At last, becoming tired, Miss Berndt waited until it was exhausted after a convulsion, let go her hold and ran into a house near by. The dog recovered and started to run off in its mad career, snapping and biting at trees, fences and everything it came across. It fell at the foot of a tree and was killed. Luckily no one was hurt, but Miss Berndt

#### had a narrow escape. A Lost Child Found.

Assumption, Ill., July 10 .- Thursday at 10 a. m., a three-year-old child of Joseph Murray, living in the eastern part of town, followed its older brothers up town, where they were sent on an errand. the child strayed away from the others on the west side of town, near a small creek. and became lost. Many of the citizens hunted all the afternoon and all night. dragging the creek for quite a distance. as the child was thought to be drowned. The mother was crazy with grief and excitement. The child was reported found yesterday morning by a farmer. It had traveled about five miles and was un-

#### able to tell to whom it belonged. Not Poison After All.

COULTERVILLE, Ill., July 10 .- An inquiry instituted by the State Board of Health into the alleged cases of poisoning at this place has failed to demonstrate any poison in the ice-cream. While there is no doubt that the majority of those who ate ice-cream on the 3d were taken sick, yet it is probable that the extreme heat, together with fatigue and an unusual diet, would account for the socailed cases of ice-cream poisoning. The above is substantially the result of the official investigation. The excitement has almost entirely subsided.